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Illinois Environmental Protection Agency
Division of Land Pollution Control
Permit Section
2200 Churchill Road
Springfield, IL 62706

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Re: Application for Permit Transfer
Illinois EPA Permit No. 1975-1 and all supplemental
Permits issued thereunder
Illinois EPA Permit No. 1978-3 and all supplemental
Permits issued thereunder

Gentlemen:

We enclose, each in duplicate, Applications for Permit Transfer relating to the above referenced permits, each issued in connection with the operation of the landfill in Springfield commonly known as Buerkett 31st Street Landfill.

The applicant, Kirby-Coffman, Inc., by Agreement to Purchase all of the capital stock of M. Buerkett, Inc., is about to obtain control of all assets necessary to operate the landfill known as Buerkett's 31st Street Landfill in Springfield, Illinois.

Please process the applications as soon as practicable. However, do not complete the actual transfer until you have been notified by both the transferor, Merle K. Buerkett, and the transferee, Kirby-Coffman, Inc., that the Agreement transferring assets to Kirby-Coffman, Inc. has been consummated.

Very truly yours,

MOHAN, ALEWELT & PRILLAMAN

By: Edward J. Alewelt

EJA/dmm
Enclosures
cc: Mr. Val C. Simhauser

EPA Region 5 Records Ctr.



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PART I - APPLICANT INFORMATION

ALL information submitted as part of the Application is available to the public except when specifically designated by the Applicant to be treated confidentially as regarding a trade secret or secret process in accordance with Section 7(a) of the Environmental Protection Act.

APPLICATION MUST BE SUBMITTED IN DUPLICATE

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COUNTY - LAND POLLUTION CONTROL

/ _____ Region _____

Application Received:

Reviewed by: _____ Permit No. _____

Operating Permit Transfer

Date _____ Date _____

Granted _____ Denied _____

Manager, Land Permit Section

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PART I - APPLICANT INFORMATION

A. THE IDENTIFICATION

1. Name of Applicant Kirby-Coffman, Inc., an Illinois corporation
(Person responsible for operation)

2. Address of Applicant 842 South Second Street
(Street, P.O. Box, or R.R. #)

Springfield, IL 62704
City State Zip Code

Telephone: (217) 522-2388
(Area Code) (Number)

3. Name of Land Owner See Exhibit A
(If same as above, so indicate)

4. Address of Land Owner See Exhibit A
(Street, P.O. Box, or R.R. #)

City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

a. Name of Site - Buckett Bluff Street Landfill

b. Address of Site - Shale Road
(Street, P.O. Box, or R.R. #)

Springfield	IL	6270
City	State	Zip Code

c. Land Ownership (Check Applicable Boxes)

- Presently Owned by Applicant
 To Be Purchased by Applicant

In part To Be Leased by Applicant For _____ Years in part

In part 7/12th Year of Lease Remaining; termination date of lease
February 28, 1985, in part.

Operated by: Corporation Partnership Government
Individual Other

B. THE BACKGROUND

a. This is an existing operation begun Feb. (mo.) 1975 (yr.)

b. This is a proposed transfer of an existing permit:

Illinois EPA Permit No. 1975-1

Supplemental Permit No. (list all) See Exhibit B attached

hereto and by reference made a part hereof.

PART II

The applicant reaffirms and adopts the information provided by the
Applicant in the original application for Permit (Parts II-VI) and all
supplemental permits. (No change is permitted. Any such change must be
the subject of a supplemental Permit Application).

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I hereby affirm that all information contained in this application is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge and belief.

KIRBY-COFFMAN, INC.

Signature of Applicant: By:

Its President

Date

Attest: *Merle K. Buerkett* Date 8/24/84
Its Secretary

Signature of Landowner(s): Contained on Exhibit A attached hereto
and by reference made a part Date Hereof.

Attest:

Date

I hereby request that Permit No. IL100000000000000000 and all
supplemental permits listed in Part I, Section B-9 issued by the Illinois
Environmental Protection Agency be transferred to the above named
applicant.

Signature of Transferor: *Merle K. Buerkett* Date
Merle K. Buerkett

Attest:

Date

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EXHIBIT A

Land used in operation is owned as follows:

In part by:

M. BUERKETT, INC., a Delaware corporation
Shale Road
Springfield, IL 62707

Signature: M. BUERKETT, INC.

By Merle K. Buerkett
Its President

Attest:

In part by:

MERLE K. BUERKETT
Koke Mill Lane
Springfield, IL 62702

Signature: Merle K. Buerkett

Merle K. Buerkett

said lands to be transferred to M. BUERKETT, INC.

In part by:

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MARINE BANK OF SPRINGFIELD, as Trustee
under Trust Agreement dated the 8th day
of December, 1981, and known as Trust
No. 53-1230-4

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Signature:

MARINE BANK OF SPRINGFIELD

By Lorraine V. Lewis
Trust Officer

Attest:

EXHIBIT B

SANGAMON COUNTY
SPRINGFIELD/BUERKETT #2

IEPA LANDFILL PERMIT NO. 1975-1

<u>PERMIT NUMBER</u>	<u>DATE</u>	<u>SUBJECT</u>
1974-81-DE	09/16/74	ACCESS RAMP (PRIOR TO SITE PERMIT)
1974-81-OP	09/19/74	ACCESS RAMP (PRIOR TO SITE PERMIT)
74-144	-----	ACCESS RAMP (PRIOR TO SITE PERMIT)
1975-1-DE	01/02/75	DEVELOPMENT PERMIT
1975-1-OP	02/27/75	OPERATING PERMIT
75-428	08/18/75	MODIFICATION
1979-2000	09/20/79	MODIFICATION
79-3064	12/13/79	MODIFICATION
79-3091	12/18/79	MODIFICATION
80-159	01/25/80	MODIFICATION
1981-36	04/16/81	MODIFICATION
1983-50	04/21/83	MODIFICATION
1983-42	05/13/83	MODIFICATION
1983-138-SP	10/03/83	MODIFICATION
780261	-----	SPECIAL WASTE AUTHORIZATION
790555	-----	SPECIAL WASTE AUTHORIZATION
790557	-----	SPECIAL WASTE AUTHORIZATION
791230	-----	SPECIAL WASTE AUTHORIZATION
791232	-----	SPECIAL WASTE AUTHORIZATION
800045	-----	SPECIAL WASTE AUTHORIZATION
801940	-----	SPECIAL WASTE AUTHORIZATION
810262	-----	SPECIAL WASTE AUTHORIZATION
810528	-----	SPECIAL WASTE AUTHORIZATION
810871	-----	SPECIAL WASTE AUTHORIZATION
822789	-----	SPECIAL WASTE AUTHORIZATION

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Parkland residents demand plan

By Bob McMillan

The landfill authority has plans to add 30 more acres to its existing facility, a dirt which sits under a plan recommended by the S.C. Department of Health and Safety.

McBride, however, said he was concerned about the site's future. "It's been in use for 10 years," he said. "We've asked EPA to keep it open longer. We've got no leases or contracts, just a lease from the state." He added that "old people think it's dirty."

The director of the landfill told McBride she had requested that the county board is quickly taking up.

Murie Berkett said despite plans to get clippers to build a huge garbage dump, her plant near El Dorado, he need permission to seek guidance even though he says the plant from re-opening it again.

Without that permission, the dump will have to be closed by March,

Berkett testified.

"The County is only the other participant in the S.C. Waste Management Fund of approximately \$10 million," he said. "Duke and I am the ones who will be responsible for the site," he said.

Berkett said he wanted to pile

more refuse on about 20 acres on the

other part of his site, leaving about a

30-foot hill where the landfill is full.

However, on the day Duke and

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the site," he said.

Berkett -- said Berkett is willing to

limit the height of the garbage if the site allows him to also add another base to the northern part of the site.

County Board health and safety committee chairman Bill Butcher said the idea would allow an expandable trash dump objection to have some merit. "I think some prep work is required," he said.

Another said the plan would leave the land virtually level when the dump is filled, covered and composted.

The committee endorsed the idea and recommended the county board approve the landfill expansion.

The plan apparently would not resolve all complaints about continuing noise and smell if the dump is allowed to stay open, but Butcher called it a good compromise.

"There's inherent risks of garbage dump from re-opening it again," he said.

"It's already," Murie John

said, he said.

The Berkett landfill has been cited to request environmental review because in the decade it's been open.

The county board is required to hold hearings and make a recommendation on the plan to the EPA.

The EPA has the final say.

Berkett noted he expansion is intended to allow more room for fly ash from a proposed garbage incinerator in a park near Ellenton, which

would be re-purposed from the landfill.

Businessman Jim Kirby, whose firm Kirby, Johnson Inc., is developing the huge \$8 million incinerator, said the plant will open in November 1985. All the required government hurdles have been cleared and the needed equipment is being built, he said.

The incinerator would burn as much as 80 percent of new garbage that's delivered to the Berkett dump. The ashes that remain, which would be trucked back to the site, would take up only 10 percent of the space, he said.

But even with the incinerator, the expansion is needed to keep operating, Berkett said. The dump doesn't have room to keep operating until November, he said. With both the incinerator and permission to keep the dump open, Berkett said the dump could keep running another five to six years.

Although much more needs to be done, expansion could minimize private water wells in the area, they have had to deal with last month, they have had to deal with problems in the past.

"I think the issue is about the wells have been addressed at just as well as we're capable of doing so," Berkett said.

An EPA report last year reported there was "less potential" for contamination of ground water because of clay and shale between the site.